

News of the Sport World

BLUE SOX STILL GOING DOWN HILL

Mighty Redskin, Bluejacket, Gives Pretzels Another Kick in Slats.

AIRTIGHT SCORE IS 2 TO 1

Holke and Koeppling Hit in Ninth Inning Averting a Shutout.

THREE-EYE LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Quincy	47	52	.581
Dubuque	56	56	.537
Danville	62	60	.508
DAVENPORT	60	59	.504
Bloomington	59	62	.485
Decatur	59	63	.484
Springfield	58	64	.475
Peoria	52	70	.426

GAMES TODAY AND TOMORROW.
Davenport at Bloomington.
Dubuque at Danville.
Springfield at Quincy.
Decatur at Peoria.

Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 26.—It was too much Bluejacket yesterday and the slipping Sox never got a look-in at any time. The Ojibway chieftain had everything and the visitors broke their backs in wild swings at the elusive horseshoe. Five segregated bingles were combed from Blue's assortment of slants, and two of these brought in to juxtaposition in the ultimate stanza produced one tally, saving O'Leary's gang from an ignominious shutout.

THREE EYE LEAGUE.	R. H. P. O. A. E.
Davenport, cf.	0 2 2 0 0
Carigan, lf.	0 1 1 0 0
Bromwich, 3b.	0 1 1 0 0
Holke, lf.	0 1 2 0 0
Flaherty, rf.	0 0 0 0 0
Koeppling, 2b.	0 1 3 2 0
Morgan, ss.	0 0 2 0 0
Peters, c.	0 0 5 2 0
Hendrix, p.	0 0 4 0 0
Total	1 5 24 12 0
Bloomington.	R. H. P. O. A. E.
Craig, cf.	0 3 1 0 0
Lister, 2b.	0 0 3 2 0
Hartford, ss.	0 1 0 1 0
Lucas, lf.	0 1 2 0 0
Vinson, lf.	0 1 4 1 0
Bottles, rf.	0 1 0 1 0
Kelly, 3b.	0 0 1 1 0
Keupper, c.	0 0 5 0 0
Bluejacket, p.	0 0 6 0 0
Total	2 7 27 13 0

Three base hit—Holke. Struck out—By Bluejacket, 4; by Hendrix, 4. Bases on balls—Off Bluejacket, 1. Sacrifice hits—Lister, 2; Keupper, 2. Wild pitches—Hendrix (2). Time—1:40. Umpires—Johnson and Knapp.

AVIATOR IN LONG FLIGHT FOR A PRIZE OF \$25,000

Southampton, Eng., Aug. 26.—Harry G. Hawker, the English aviator, started at 5:30 yesterday morning on his second attempt to fly around the English and Scottish coasts. The 1,600 mile flight, if made within 72 hours, will bring him a prize of \$25,000.

Hawker reached Ramsgate, the first control station, at 8:10, having taken 160 minutes to fly the 144 miles from Southampton. He flew to Yarmouth, a distance of 96 miles, in 89 minutes. Hawker's time from Yarmouth to Scarborough, a distance of 150 miles, was 183 minutes.

Hawker left Scarborough for Aberdeen, Scotland, at 4:13. He was obliged to alight just north of Scamman harbor at 6 o'clock owing to engine trouble. He had flown about 60 miles on the fourth stage of his journey. After adjusting his engine and taking on a supply of petrol Hawker resumed his flight at 6:40 o'clock. At 7:30 he descended at Beadnell, a fishing village 20 miles south of Berwick. He announced he would remain there for the night.

DEATH OF "BULL" YOUNG "QUEERS" FIGHT GAME

Los Angeles, Aug. 26.—Promoter T. J. McCarrey of the Pacific Athletic club yesterday officially issued notice that the Leach Cross-Johnny Dundee 20-round bout, scheduled for Vernon on Labor day, was indefinitely postponed and that there would be no more boxing at the Vernon arena for the present.

"I am not prepared to say whether the Cross-Dundee bout will be the next one staged at Vernon, as I do not know how long the arena will be kept 'dark,'" said McCarrey yesterday.

"I believe, however," added the promoter, "that as soon as the excitement caused by the death of Young passes

away I will be able to make a definite announcement."

McCarrey's action in postponing further boxing at the arena was taken at the orders of the Vernon city trustees, who are investigating the conduct of the club.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	81	55	.598
Philadelphia	66	64	.500
Chicago	63	55	.534
Pittsburgh	62	54	.534
Brooklyn	51	62	.451
Cincinnati	50	64	.439
Cleveland	48	74	.394
St. Louis	43	76	.361

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	79	39	.669
Cleveland	71	49	.592
Washington	66	51	.564
Chicago	65	58	.525
Boston	57	59	.491
Detroit	52	70	.426
St. Louis	48	77	.384
New York	40	75	.345

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	76	53	.589
Minneapolis	75	55	.577
Louisville	73	56	.566
Columbus	73	59	.553
St. Paul	57	69	.452
Toledo	58	71	.450
Kansas City	57	73	.438
Indianapolis	48	81	.372

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

THREE EYE LEAGUE.
Bloomington, 2; Davenport, 1.
Quincy, 7; Springfield, 1.
Danville, 0; Dubuque, 12.
Peoria, 14; Decatur, 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago, 5; Washington, 2.
St. Louis, 0; Philadelphia, 3.
Detroit, 6; Boston, 5.
Cleveland, 7; New York, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Brooklyn, 4; Chicago, 5.
Boston, 7; Pittsburgh, 6.
New York, 2; Cincinnati, 1.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 0.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Indianapolis, 9; Columbus, 12.
St. Paul, 0; Milwaukee, 8.
No other games scheduled.

WESTERN LEAGUE.
Lincoln, 9; Topeka, 4.
St. Joseph, 8; Sioux City, 2.
No other games scheduled.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.
Ottumwa, 2; Waterloo, 0.
Muscatine, 3; Cedar Rapids, 8.
Monmouth, 1; Burlington, 0 (10 innings).

WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.
Wausau, 4; Oshkosh, 5.
Appleton, 6; Green Bay, 13.
Fond du Lac, 1; Racine, 12.
Madison, 11; Rockford, 0.

CENTRAL LEAGUE.
Terre Haute, 4; Grand Rapids, 3 (10 innings).
Evansville, 4; Fort Wayne, 8.
Dayton, 1; Springfield, 3.

"Hay Fever Kicker"

Any sufferer of hay fever can be quickly relieved by using Stevens' Hay Fever Kicker. If unable to get it from your home druggist send direct to T. W. Stevens & Co., Wild Rose, Wis. Sample box, 25c; large size, \$1.00. Guaranteed by T. W. Stevens Drug Co.—(Adv.)

COBB STEALS HOME WITH TYING TALLY

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 26.—Ty Cobb twice killed a possible Boston victory yesterday and Detroit took the second game of the series, 6 to 5. In the fifth inning Cobb stole home with the tying run. In the eighth, after capturing Hooper's fly, he made a magnificent return to the plate and prevented Janvin from scoring on the out.

Joe Lake, who probably will be sent to Minneapolis soon, started the game for Detroit and lasted less than an inning. Four hits produced three runs, and Willett was sent to the rescue. He was greeted by Janvin's double which counted Yerkes, but tightened up and pitched splendidly thereafter.

Leonard allowed only one hit until the fourth, when four hits gave the Tigers three runs. Again, in the fifth, Detroit started at Leonard, and singles by Bauman, Cobb and Beach scored Bauman and brought Bedient to the rescue. Bedient tripped Veach off first, then Cobb started for home. Munday shot the ball to Nunamaker and the umpire said "safe." A moment later Veach brought in the winning run on a wild pitch. Cad went behind the bat for Boston in the sixth, but stayed there only a minute. He objected to a decision by Umpire Ferguson and was benched.

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ROCK ISLAND IN NEW K. C. LEAGUE

Plans Now Under Way for 1914 Season—Monmouth to Play W. C. U. Sunday.

Although the entry of Rock Island, Davenport and Moline into the Knights of Columbus baseball league this summer failed to materialize, it is a foregone conclusion that when the summer of 1914 rolls around they will be in the "rink." Owing to the late start, it was found impossible to perfect the proposed circuit this year, but such will not be the case in the future. Plans are now under way towards the organization of the new circuit which will comprise the following cities: Rock Island, Davenport, Moline, Keokuk, Galesburg and Monmouth.

Manager Phillips, the gentleman who endeavored to launch the K. C. league early this season, and who has carried the Monmouth K. C. team through a very successful season thus far, will bring his team to Rock Island Sunday afternoon to meet the local W. C. U. aggregation. While in the city, Phillips expects to confer with local K. C. baseball moguls, and start the ball rolling for the new organization.

The Monmouth team is considered one of the fastest in western Illinois and has excited much favorable comment because of the gentlemanly conduct of its individual members on the ball field. The games have been devoid of "crabbing," wrangling and umpire baiting. The local W. C. U. team will play a return game at Monmouth Sept. 21. The Monmouth K. C.'s will leave the Maple City Sunday morning at 7:30, arriving here in time to attend high mass at 10 o'clock at Dean Quinn's church.

Tricity fans will be treated to a good game and are planning to turn out en masse.

FAMOUS MAJOR LEAGUER DIES AT PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 26.—Frank L. "Red" Donahue, star pitcher a dozen years ago, died at his home here yesterday after a long illness. He was 41 years old. He retired from baseball seven years ago to engage in the hotel business.

Donahue entered professional baseball in 1892, when he played with the Milford, Conn. team. Later he played with Lowell of the New England league and with the Allentown, Pa. team. He signed up with the St. Louis Nationals in 1896, and the following year was with the Philadelphia Nationals, with which team he remained until 1902, when he entered the American league, playing successively with St. Louis, Cleveland and Detroit.

While with the Philadelphia Nationals Donahue pitched a no-hit game against Boston.

NEWEST BOWLING LEAGUE ARRANGES FOR SCHEDULE

Officers of the newly organized island City Bowling league met at the Hotel Harms last night to perfect plans for the 1913-14 season. A tentative schedule was presented, and this was turned over to "Prexy" "Honius" Clemann for revision. Mr. Clemann was authorized to make any necessary changes and place the tabulations in the hands of the printer. A constitution was adopted and various other business disposed of. The season will probably start the latter part of September, continuing until the first of May, giving the league a 30-week schedule. Another meeting will be held Sept. 4.

The Tri-City Bowling league moguls will meet next Monday evening to discuss plans for their season. A number of the pin artists have already begun practice work.

Deaf Mutes Root For Naps.

Cleveland, Aug. 26.—Two hundred enthusiastic spectators at yesterday's American league game, rooted for the Naps or the Yankees, but did not say a word. They cheered with their hands. They were delegates to the convention of the National Association of Deaf. They were guests of President Sommers of the Cleveland club.

Yanks' Hurier Injured.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 26.—Pitcher George McConnell of the New York Americans will be out of the game for three weeks at least. The middle finger of his pitching hand was so badly broken yesterday when he stopped a ball from Leibold's bat that the bone protruded from the flesh.

Providence Sells Two Players.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 26.—Manager Donovan of the Providence International league club, yesterday announced the sale of Al. Platte, right fielder, and Eddie Omslow, first baseman of the Providence team to the Detroit club. Both men will report to the Tigers tomorrow.

Cards Not For Sale.

New York, Aug. 26.—Denial of the report that the St. Louis Nationals contemplated a sale of the club if the right price were offered is contained in a statement by Schuyler P. Britton, made public here yesterday.

Cannitz Moves to Philly.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 26.—Howard Cannitz, former star pitcher of the Pittsburgh club, accompanied by his wife and child, left here last night for

ROGER SLATED TO LEAD THE BROWNS?



Roger Bresnahan.

St. Louis, Aug. 26.—The latest baseball rumor in St. Louis is that George Stovall is to be asked to quit as manager of the Browns, and that Roger Bresnahan is to be invited to take his place. Until just recently the dope seemed to be that Branch Rickey would succeed Stovall when the latter gentleman stepped out. Now they say President Fiedges plans soon to retire and that the former Michigan coach will be made president of the Browns. With Bresnahan managing the local American leaguers, there seems little doubt but that they would make a better showing.

Bresnahan is immensely popular in St. Louis, where he took hold of the Cardinals and made them a factor in the pennant race of 111. His failure in 1912 was due, largely to interference. He would draw at the gate and being a wise baseball man might succeed where Stovall has failed in boosting the Browns.

As a matter of fact, Stovall can hardly be counted a failure, as he has not had time to rebuild such a deplorable aggregation as are the Browns. For the latter half of the season he has been hampered in his authority by constant rumors of his retirement, and these have been denied in a half-hearted way.

But Bresnahan would bring with him prestige as well as ability, and some ready-made popularity besides. He is in the National league, of course, but unless Murphy wants to retain him as manager of the Cubs—a thing now hardly likely—the Cub has little use for him. No other team in the National stands in much need of him, as his days as an active catcher are practically over and he can be used, merely as a manager. Every head in the older league is fairly safe this season, and getting waivers on Bresnahan to sell him to St. Louis should not be difficult.

Philadelphia. Cannitz and "Bobby" Byrne, third baseman of the local team, were traded last Saturday to the Philadelphia Nationals for Dolan and a cash consideration.

Sport Writer Gets Plum.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 26.—Manning Vaughan, a well known sporting writer, was yesterday named secretary and treasurer of the Wisconsin athletic commission. The commission consists of three men named by Governor F. E. McGovern last week, who, with Vaughan, will have charge of all boxing matches held in the state. The salary is \$1,500 a year.

Kalamazoo Park Burns.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 26.—The center section of the grand stand at Riverview park, home of the Kazoos, the Southern Michigan league team, was destroyed by fire last night. The cause of the blaze is unknown. The fire department saved the bleachers.

Here's Another for Sox.

Columbus, O., Aug. 26.—The Chicago White Sox yesterday bought Pitcher Ed Monroe, aged 19 years, of the Lexington club in the Ohio State league.

Bell Goes to Grand Rapids.

Hastings, Mich., Aug. 26.—Don Bell, the pitcher who has not lost a game for Hastings, has been signed by the management of the Grand Central league team. Bell will finish the season with Hastings.

Topeka Recalls Two Players.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 26.—Manager Dale Geer of the Topeka Western league club yesterday announced the recall of Pitcher McCullough and infielder Emiler of the Grand Island Nebraska State league team. Both players were loaned early in the season.

Billings to Join Naps.

Quincy, Ill., Aug. 26.—Jos. Billings, the Quincy catcher, has been ordered to report to Cleveland.

JOE BERGER HITS LARGE HOME RUN

Clouts Ball to Center Field Score Board—Sox Beat Senators 5-2.

TROJANS VICTORS, 5 TO 4

Lavender Assumes Life Saver Role and Helps With a Two-Base Drive.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Swell fielding, combined with the nerve of "Rebel" Russell, was sufficient to down Griffith's senatorial band in the second game of the series at Commy's arena yesterday. For once in their lives, Callahan's men set out and picked up a few runs for the big Texas southpaw, hence he had no trouble in winning, even though decidedly shy on his customary stuff. The score was 5 to 2.

Being peeved over the fluky loss of a game the day previous, the Sox went out and put the skids under the Washington fellows in a hurry. They staged so much unexpected offensive work that Bob Groom was beaten before he was started. Berger handed him a sickening blow by shoving a homer to the scoreboard in center in the first round and before he recovered from the shock two more went over. The last were perpetrated in the second round, after which Groom survived until the end of the sixth.

Chicago.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Weaver, ss.	3	1	0	4	1		
Berger, 2b.	3	1	1	2	3		
Lord, 3b.	3	0	0	1	3		
Bretton, 3b.	0	0	0	0	0		
Chase, 1b.	4	0	0	2	0		
Bodie, cf.	4	1	3	2	0		
Chappell, lf.	3	1	1	3	0		
Collins, rf.	2	0	0	3	0		
Schalk, c.	3	0	2	2	1		
Russell, p.	3	0	2	2	0		
*Rousch.	0	1	0	0	0		
Total.	28	5	7	27	15		

*Ran for Lord in eighth.

Washington.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Moeller, rf.	4	0	1	1	0		
Postor, 3b.	4	1	2	0	3		
Millan, cf.	4	0	1	0	1		
Gandil, 1b.	4	0	2	2	0		
Morgan, 2b.	4	0	2	0	3		
Shanks, lf.	3	0	0	1	1		
McBride, ss.	0	0	0	0	0		
Laporte, 2b.	4	0	1	4	1		
Henry, c.	3	1	1	7	3		
Groom, p.	2	0	1	0	1		
Hughes, p.	0	0	0	0	3		
*Williams.	1	0	0	0	0		
*Schaefer.	1	0	1	0	0		
Total.	34	2	10	24	16		

*Batted for Groom in seventh. *Batted for Hughes in ninth.

Chicago. 1 2 0 0 0 0 2 5
Washington. 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 2
Two-base hit—Foster. Three-base hit—Schalk. Home run—Berger. Struck out—By Groom, 6 (Weaver, Chase, Russell, Lord); by Hughes, 1 (Russell), by Russell, 1 (Williams). Bases on balls—Off Hughes, 1. Double plays—Berger to Weaver to Chase; Lord to Chase to Weaver. Hits—Off Groom, 5 in six innings. Hit by pitcher—By Hughes, Weaver. Left on bases—Chicago, 3; Washington, 7. Time—1:44. Umpire—Connelly and McGreevy.

Brooklyn, Aug. 26.—Batting sans the service of Heine Zimmerman, who is serving a three-days' suspension for umpire baiting, the Chicago Cubs invaded this borough yesterday and annexed the series opener at Ebbets' field, 5 to 4. Heavy hitting featured the contest, each side getting ten safeties for a total of fourteen bases.

The victory thus acquired and marked to the credit of Jimmy Lavender, who came on in the fifth as relief to Bert Humphries, sent Evers' men back to third place while the Chicago boys were winning here.

Chicago.	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Leach, cf.	3	2	2	2	0		
Evers, 2b.	4	2	2	4	3		
Shulte, rf.	4	0	1	2	0		
Phelan, 3b.	4	0	1	2	0		
Saier, 1b.	4	0	1	2	0		
Williams, lf.	4	0	2	1	0		
Bridwell, ss.	4	0	1	2	5		
Archer, c.	3	0	0	4	2		
Humphries, p.	2	0	1	1	0		
Lavender, p.	2	1	1	0	3		
Total.	34	5	10	27	15		

Brooklyn. AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Moran, rf. 5 1 2 0 0 1 7
Cutshaw, 2b. 4 0 0 2 6 0
Collins, cf. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Wheat, lf. 4 1 3 3 0 0
Daubert, 1b. 3 0 1 10 0 0
Smith, 3b. 4 1 1 2 1 0
Fisher, ss. 3 0 4 3 4 3
*Stengel. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Miller, c. 3 0 1 4 2 0
*Fischer. 0 1 0 1 0 00
Allen, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Yingling, p. 2 0 1 0 1 0
Total. 33 4 10 27 13 7

*Batted for Fisher in ninth inning. *Batted for Miller in ninth inning.